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Application No. 10/561,794	)	
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Filed December 21, 2005	)	
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For: PUNCTURE CYLINDER PROVIDED WITH	)	
AT LEAST ONE PUNCTURE STRIP	)	

**SECOND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the first Office Action on the merits of July 10, 2007 in the subject U.S. patent application, please amend the application, as filed, as amended by the Preliminary Amendment filed with the application, and as further amended by the Amendment filed June 14, 2007, as follows.